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Dear Mrs. Harris,

Mrs. Petit has given me the tragic news of Mrs. Wright's death. I am deeply shocked and saddened. I only met Barbara once, but I had quite a long conversation with her that one time at the museum, a conversation long enough for the sweetness and graciousness of her personality to make a deep and lasting impression on me. I know there is nothing I can say to lighten the burden of grief you and all the members of your family feel, but I must tell you that even those of us who knew Barbara only slightly mourn the loss of one so beautiful in every way.

In sympathy,

James Dodson

With sincere sympathy to you in your sorrow.
James Dodson
L.A.V.C. Museum

THIS IS A XEROX COPY OF THE CARD AND LETTER SENT TO MRS. MYRTLE HARRIS OVER THE DEATH OF MRS. BARBARA WRIGHT IN AN AIRPLANE ACCIDENT. BOTH LADIES ARE GRANDDAUGHTERS OF WILLIAM PAUL WHITSETT.